Worksheet: overglaze screen-printing

Materials and tools:

Printing patterns, scizzors, overglaze items

Introduction:

Screen- printing is decorative technique used to apply ceramic colors on the glost fired products. Silk screen printing is the application of ceramic colors by screening through a mesh onto a special paper with a layer which, after soaking, will allow color to be released and transferred to the product.

Instructions: work with printing patterns/stickers

1. Choose the pattern – motifs
2. Cut them out
3. Choose the item – suitable size and shape
4. Soak it with water
5. Apply it on the surface with the colours up and remove the transfer paper carefully
6. Smooth and dry
7. Wash the product an hour later (after drying the stickers)
8. Fire at 800 °C

Important notes:

The stickers must not be applied one after another, with right side down or leave air bubbles under stickers.



